ESTTA Tracking number:

ESTTA769796 09/09/2016

Filing date:

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Proceeding	91212905
Party	Plaintiff EMI (IP) Limited
Correspondence Address	BRENT S LABARGE UNIVERSAL MUSIC GROUP 2220 COLORADO AVENUE SANTA MONICA, CA 90404 UNITED STATES brent.labarge@umusic.com, melissa.battino@umusic.com, nicole.villacorta@umusic.com
Submission	Stipulated/Consent Motion to Extend
Filer's Name	Brent S. LaBarge
Filer's e-mail	brent.labarge@umusic.com, nicole.villacorta@umusic.com
Signature	/Brent S. LaBarge/
Date	09/09/2016
Attachments	2016-09-09 MUSIC NOW - Motion for 60-day Suspension.pdf(30623 bytes )

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In the matter of Application Serial No. 78/835,315	
EMI (IP) LIMITED	)
Opposer,	)
v.	Opposition No. 91212905
OCC ESTABLISHMENT,	) )
Applicant.	) )
-and-	
In the matter of Registration No. 2,100,606	
EMI (IP) LIMITED	
Petitioner,	) )
v.	) Cancellation No. 92058236
OCC ESTABLISHMENT,	)
Respondent.	)
	1

### MOTION FOR SUSPENSION FOR SETTLEMENT WITH CONSENT

EMI (IP) Limited ("EMI") hereby moves, with consent, to suspend the discovery and trial deadlines in this matter by sixty (60) days pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 2.117 and T.B.M.P. § 510.

Pursuant to the Board's order of July 18, 2016, as good cause therefor, the parties state that they have actively been engaged in settlement discussions and provide the following detailed report. Specifically, counsel for EMI received a counterproposal from OCC Establishment ("OCC") on May 10, 2016, which EMI has discussed both internally and with an unaffiliated entity, Sony Music Entertainment UK (which owns the NOW Marks within the European

Economic Area) throughout the summer. After discussing with Sony Music Entertainment UK, EMI's counsel is confident that OCC's recent counterproposal resolves additional issues. Counsel for EMI and OCC are discussing this proposal via teleconference within the next two weeks.

In sum, since the last request for suspension, the parties have remained actively engaged in settlement discussions and have exchanged further proposals to that end. Given the scope of the rights at issue, the parties need more time to review and discuss the current proposals and counterproposals in order to continue working toward a potential settlement. As previously stated, the parties have tentatively agreed on several outstanding issues and expect that continued negotiations will result in a final resolution of this dispute.

EMI has secured the express consent of all other parties to this proceeding for the suspension requested herein.

#### **Dates as Reset**:

Time to Answer:	CLOSED
Deadline for Discovery Conference:	CLOSED
Discovery Opens:	CLOSED
Initial Disclosures Due:	CLOSED
Expert Disclosures Due:	CLOSED
Discovery Period to Close:	November 9, 2016
Plaintiff Pretrial Disclosures:	December 24, 2016
Plaintiff's 30-day Trial Period Ends:	February 7, 2017
Defendant's Pretrial Disclosures:	February 22, 2017
Defendant's 30-day Trial Period ends:	April 8, 2017
Plaintiff's Rebuttal Disclosures:	April 23, 2017
Plaintiff's 15-day Rebuttal Period Ends:	May 23, 2017

Dated: September 9, 2016 Respectfully submitted,

## EMI (IP) LIMITED

By: s/Brent S. LaBarge/

Brent S. LaBarge c/o Universal Music Group 2220 Colorado Avenue Santa Monica, California 90404 Telephone: (310) 865-1708

Email: brent.labarge@umusic.com

Attorneys for Petitioner EMI (IP) Limited

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and complete copy of the foregoing Motion for Suspension for Settlement with Consent has been served by electronically transmitting said copy, with the consent of OCC Establishment, on September 9, 2016, to:

CHRISTOPHER WEIMER
NORTON ROSE FULBRIGHT US LLP
98 SAN JACINTO BLVD SUITE 1100
AUSTIN, TX 78701-4078
orbitmarks@nortonrosefulbright.com,
chris.weimer@nortonrosefulbright.com

/s/Brent S. LaBarge/ Brent S. LaBarge